IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA BRYSON CITY DIVISION 2:14 CV 17

ROLAND GRADY, an individual,)
Plaintiff))) ORDER
v))
B AND E GROCERY, INC., d/b/a)
Huddle House, a North Carolina for profit)
Corporation,)
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Defendant.	,)

THIS MATTER is before the undersigned pursuant to a Notice of Suggestion of Death of named Plaintiff Roland Grady (#37) filed by Plaintiff's counsel. In the Notice, Plaintiff's counsel advised the Plaintiff died on June 30, 2015 but then further states the following, "Because the Court can no longer grant injunctive relief, this case is moot and dismissal is appropriate." The Court cannot dismiss the pleadings in this matter in such a fashion. Plaintiff's counsel is instructed that the Estate of the Plaintiff Roland Grady must be established in the appropriate state Clerk of Superior Court's office. When either an executor or an administrator has been appointed, then Plaintiff's counsel should move to substitute the administrator or executor as the party/plaintiff and then Plaintiff's counsel may then consult with the Defendant and determine whether or not a stipulation of dismissal should be filed

in this matter.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Plaintiff's counsel shall take all

necessary measures necessary to establish the estate of the deceased Plaintiff Roland

Grady and shall secure appointment by the appropriate state Clerk of Superior

Court's office of either an administrator or executor of the estate of Roland Grady.

Plaintiff's counsel is further directed that at that time, they shall filed a motion for

substitution of the administrator or executor as the appropriate party/plaintiff on

behalf of the estate of Roland Grady and then shall take such further action as shall

be deemed appropriate.

Signed: August 3, 2015

Dennis L. Howell

United States Magistrate Judge

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